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MACHINES

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Sir:

In response to the Official Action of December 6, 2004, in which a three-month shortened statutory period for response was set to expire on March 6, 2004, and for which a Request for Extension of Time is being filed concurrently, setting the period for response to expire on June 6, 2005, applicants respectfully request reconsideration and withdrawal of the outstanding rejections set forth in the above-mentioned Official Action in view of the following amendments and remarks.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this Reply.

Remarks begin on page 7 of this Response.